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SUBJECT: CULTURAL SCIENTIFIC EXCHANGES TALKS

REF: PRAGUE 2550

1. SCHOLARSHIPS: RATHER THAN YOUR SUGGESTED LANGUAGE IN PARA 6 REFTEL, WE PREFER TO DELETE ALL REFERENCE TO SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THIS SECTION AND USE THE LANGUAGE SUGGESTED IN STATE 216773 PARA 4A. WE ARE PREPARED TO ACCEPT THE CZECHOSLOVAK DRAFT ARTICLE 4 PARA C ON "EXCHANGE OF SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDY AT SCHOOLS, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS." THAT LANGUAGE COVERS SCIENCE AS WELL AS CULTURE AND MAKES MENTION OF SCHOLARSHIPS IN THE S AND T ARTICLE UNNECESSARY. YOU SHOULD INFORM THE CZECHOSLOVAKS THAT WE UNDERSTAND THAT THIS COMMITS CONFIDENTIAL

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THE USG TO ENCOURAGE PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS OF LEARNING

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TO ISSUE SCHOLARSHIPS; WE DO NOT FORESEE EXPENDITURE OF USG FUNDS FOR THIS PURPOSE. ARTICLE 1 PARA 6 OF THE CURRENT US-ROMANIAN PROGRAM ALSO DEALS WITH THIS SUBJECT.

2. PATENT: CHANGE "LICENSE" TO "LICENSING" TO AVOID POSSIBLE INTERPRETATION THAT REVIEW OF INDIVIDUAL LICENSE

CASES IS INTENDED. WITH THIS CHANGE, YOU MAY USE EITHER GOC OR YOUR COMPROMISE FORMULATION.

3. WE HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THE PHRASE "OF MUTUAL BENEFIT" PER PARA 8 REFTEL.

4. STUDENTS: WE AGREE WITH YOUR POSITION THAT THE UNQUALIFIED PHRASE "STUDENTS" IS BEST. THE GOC MAY STILL SEND ONLY GRADUATE STUDENTS IN EXCHANGE. IF THE GOC INSISTS ON "GRADUATE STUDENTS" WE ARE PREPARED TO RECONSIDER.

5. "ECOLOGY" MAY BE ADDED TO THE LIST OF FIELDS (PARA 13 REFTEL).

6. WE AGREE THAT A FORMULATION SUCH AS "PROFESSIONAL, NON PROFESSIONAL, AND ACADEMIC" WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE (PARA 14 REFTEL)

7. LANGUAGE TEACHING/TRANSLATIONS:THE GOC PROPOSAL (PARA - 15 REFTEL) IS ACCEPTABLE.

8. THE DEPARTMENT AND USIA ALSO PREFER TO RETAIN REFER - ENCE TO "CULTURAL CENTERS" (PARA 16 REFTEL).

9. YOUR COMPROMISE LANGUAGE IN PARA 18 REFTEL IS APPROVED WE NOTE THAT THE MOST RECENT TEXT OF THE BULGARIAN AGREEMENT USES "PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION OF CULTURAL, INFOR- MATIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC MATERIALS DESIGNED..." AND THAT THIS SUBJECT IS NOT TREATED IN THE HUNGARIAN AGREEMENT, BUT IN A SEPARATE EXCHANGE OF NOTES WITH MFA DEALING WITH DISTRIBUTION OF SUCH MATERIALS BY THE EMBASSY. CONFIDENTIAL

10. TOURISM: YOUR LANGUAGE PROPOSED IN PARA 20 REFTEL IS ACCEPTABLE. KISSINGER

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